

Registration Information

Registration is required by no later than Wednesday, October 31.

Spaces are limited to 20 people (females only!), Minimum age of 12 years required; participants ages 17 and under must be accompanied by a registered adult.

To Register: Call the Spring Mill State Park Office at 812-849-4129 or stop by between the hours of 8:30am and 4pm.

Payment is due at time of registration.

Please be prepared to provide a shoe size when you register (for the moccasin workshop).

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Becoming a Pioneer Woman



Dive into history and experience the life of a woman during the 1860s!

Spring Mill State Park November 3-4, 2007

Saturday, November 3

9-10am: Check-In for Participants
(Pre-Registration is required!)

10:15am: Welcome and Orientation

llam: Quilting Workshop: Learn the basics of quilting by making a four-patch quilt block and turning it into a coaster. You'll also learn about popular quilt designs during the 1800s.

12:30pm: Lunch: Ham and beans, cornbread, and dessert catered by the Spring Mill Inn.

1:30pm: Candle Dipping: Dip a pair of candles while exploring the history of pioneer lighting techniques.

3pm: Hearth Cooking: You'll learn the basics of hearth cooking as you work together to prepare a delicious evening meal over the fireplace.

6pm: Dinner: Enjoy the delicious hearth-cooked meal that you just helped prepare.

7:30pm: Music by the Fireside: Relax by the fire while listening to period music played by a local group. You can also try your hand at a couple 1800s-era table games.

Sunday, November 4

8am: Breakfast: Breakfast casserole and fruit catered by the Spring Mill Inn.

Pam: Weaving Workshop: Sit down at our antique loom for some hands-on experience, then make your own woven project on a small beginner's loom (the beginner's loom is yours to keep).

12:15pm: Lunch: Beef stew, biscuits, and dessert catered by the Spring Mill Inn.

lpm: Moccasin Workshop: Make your pair of comfortable suede moccasins while learning about shoe styles of the 1800s.

3:30p m: Door Prizes and Farewell

Cost is \$135/person and includes all programming and meals listed above for Saturday and Sunday.

Overnight lodging is available for an additional cost (see sidebar at right for information).

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Overnight Lodging Options

For the complete experience, spend the night in the Pioneer Village!

Six pioneer-era beds will be available in several of the cabins on a first-requested, first-granted basis.

Please note that you will most likely share a room with others depending on the number of beds available in a given room.

Restrooms are located in the south-east part of the Village (the cabins themselves do not have restrooms): there are no showering facilities. Heat in the cabins comes only from fireplaces and your own body!

Cost is \$25/person.

Spaces are available for Sat night only.

For a modern lodging experience, reserve a room at the Spring Mill Inn. - Call 877-977-7464 for reservations.

For something in between, reserve a site in the park campground. Electric and non-electric sites. Modern restroom facilities with showers are available. Call 866-622-6746 or visit www.camp.IN.gov to reserve a campsite.

Lodging is also available at the Mitchell Inn – located just 3 miles from the park entrance: 812-849-9048.